

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER.

FINANCIAL & COMMERCIAL.

Business still remains stagnant, and there is no change in monetary affairs. State securities are a little more active, with sales of Virginia consols at 60 1/2. Railroad shares are dull, and we have no sales to report to-day, the quotations being—

| | Bid. | Ask. |
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| Orange, Alex., & Man., 7s. | 84 1/2 | 85 |
| Orange & Alex., 6s, 1st. | 87 1/2 | 88 |
| Orange & Alex., 6s, 2d. | 73 1/2 | 74 |
| Orange & Alex., 8s, 3d. | 65 1/2 | 66 |
| Orange & Alex., 8s, 4th. | 47 1/2 | 48 |
| Virginia & Tennessee, 6s, 2d. | 68 1/2 | 69 |
| Virginia & Tennessee, 8s. | 65 1/2 | 66 |
| Washington and Ohio bonds. | 65 1/2 | 66 |

Prices of Produce in Alexandria.

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| FLOUR, Fine. | \$4 25 | 4 50 |
| Superfine. | 5 25 | 5 50 |
| Extra. | 6 50 | 7 00 |
| Family. | 7 25 | 7 50 |
| Fancy brands. | 8 25 | 8 50 |
| WHEAT, common to fair. | 1 00 | 1 20 |
| Good to prime. | 1 45 | 1 60 |
| Choice. | 1 55 | 1 65 |
| CORN, white. | 0 55 | 0 60 |
| Mixed. | 0 54 | 0 56 |
| Yellow. | 0 54 | 0 56 |
| Ear Corn, per bbl. | 2 25 | 2 50 |
| OATS. | 0 45 | 0 50 |
| CHICKENS, Spring. | 2 50 | 3 00 |
| BUTTER, prime. | 0 18 | 0 22 |
| Common to middling. | 0 15 | 0 18 |
| EGGS. | 0 13 | 0 14 |
| IRISH POTATOES. | 0 00 | 0 40 |
| DRIBBLED APPLES, 10 lb. | 0 6 | 0 6 |
| PEACHES, 10 lb. | 0 12 | 0 16 |
| CHEERIES, 10 lb. | 0 15 | 0 18 |
| VEAL CALVES. | 0 5 | 0 6 1/2 |
| BACON, Hams, country. | 0 12 | 0 13 |
| Western. | 0 14 | 0 17 |
| Shoulders. | 0 11 | 0 11 |
| LARD. | 0 13 | 0 14 1/2 |
| CLOVER SEED. | 11 00 | 0 00 |
| Timothy. | 3 00 | 3 25 1/2 |
| PLASTER, ground, per ton. | 5 00 | 0 00 |
| Ground, in bags or bbls. | 7 00 | 0 00 |
| Ground, in bags, red d. | 6 00 | 0 00 |
| Lump. | 3 50 | 4 00 |
| SALT, G. A. (Liverpool). | 1 10 | 1 20 |
| Fine. | 2 00 | 2 20 |
| Turkey Island. | 0 15 | 0 20 |
| Wool, long unwashed. | 0 20 | 0 22 |
| Washed. | 0 38 | 0 34 |
| Merino, unwashed. | 0 18 | 0 20 |
| Do, washed. | 0 32 | 0 33 |
| SUMAC. | 1 00 | 1 25 |
| HAY. | 15 00 | 20 00 |

The market closes dull and drooping. Flour is in light receipt, and prices barely hold at quotations, with demand limited. Wheat is off 2 1/2 since last report in consequence of a similar decline elsewhere; sales to-day of 750 bushels at 135, 145 and 146 for fair to good red. Corn is also dull, and the highest price brought on 'change to-day was 55, though we hear of a sale on private terms after hours at 56; sales of 1350 bushels at 54 and 55 for mixed and yellow. A small lot of Rye was offered but not taken. The total offerings for the week were: Wheat 4151, Corn 12196 and Rye and Oats 163 bushels. Country Produce is dull, and Butter and Eggs are declining. Wool is unsettled, and prices have a downward tendency; the quotations show the outside figures. Other articles remain unchanged.

RICHMOND MARKET, June 1.—The market for 'Wheat is quiet and unchanged, with small sales of white at 157 1/2 and red at 150 1/2. Corn was more active, and the supply was below the demand, but prices did not advance, and the sales were at 57 1/2 for white and mixed. Sales of Spring Oats at 50c. Nothing doing in Rye.

LYNCHBURG MARKET, June 1.—The market to-day is very quiet, and prices are unchanged, viz: Wheat 125 1/2 for white, and 110 1/2 for red; Corn 57 1/2 and Rye 55 1/2; Oats 45 1/2.

FREDERICKSBURG MARKET, June 1.—The market is very quiet, and quotations nominally unchanged, viz: Wheat 115 1/2 for white, and red; Corn 55 1/2; Rye 55 1/2; and Oats 45 1/2.

BALTIMORE SUGAR AND COFFEE MARKET.—Sugar.—The market for raw goods continues quiet, with sales whatever being made to-day, but with very light stocks we report it steady and firm all round, and we still quote as follows: Cuba, grocery grades. 8 1/2 to 8 3/4; Cuba, centrifugal. 8 1/2 to 8 3/4; Porto Rico, grocery grades. 8 1/2 to 8 3/4; English Island, fair to good refining. 7 1/2 to 7 3/4; Demerara, vacuum pan. 8 1/2 to 8 3/4; New Orleans, grocery grades. 8 1/2 to 8 3/4. Coffee.—We are again without transactions in Coffee, and we still write the market quiet and heavy, though in the absence of transactions prices are without quotable change. The Rio telegram to-day reports the market there dull, with prices lower, which tends to still further depress the market here. We repeat quotations, though these figures cannot be relied on, viz: Job lots—ordinary. 15 1/2 to 16 1/2; Fair. 17 1/2 to 18 1/2; Good. 17 1/2 to 18 1/2; Prime. 18 1/2 to 19 1/2; Choice to fancy. 19 1/2 to 20 1/2 (Gold, 60 days).

ALEXANDRIA CATTLE MARKET, June 2.—The market this week was generally active, and the offerings of stock of all kinds was good. Cattle ranged from 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 for good heavy, and 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 for poor to good Lamb. Sheep and Lambs are in good receipt, and meet with ready sales at 4 1/2 for the former, and 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 for the latter. The butchers report the Lambs in a better condition than heretofore. Hogs are dull and declining, and sell at 10 1/2 to 11 1/2 for 100 lbs. Cows and Calves quiet at 25 1/2 to 30.

NEW YORK CATTLE MARKET, June 1.—Receipts—Receipts 2600 head. The demand was a little better than for several previous markets, and most of the offerings changed hands. Very choice Steers of 1400 to 1500 lb. per head. 11 1/2 to 12 1/2 lb dressed; medium to very good do. 11 1/2 to 12 1/2 lb; at 9 1/2 to 10 1/2; common at 9c, and fat Bulls at 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 lb live weight. Calves—Receipts 700 head. Prices were low enough, but about 1c per lb higher than on Monday or Wednesday, and the receipts were nearly closed out at noon. Very choice State Veals went at 7c per lb; ordinary to good do at 6 1/2 to 7c, and fair buttermilk Calves at 3 1/2 to 4c per lb; mixed lot at 4 1/2 to 5c.

Sheep and Lambs.—Receipts 4200 head. There was but little change in prices, but buyers were more willing to operate, and the feeling was a trifle better. A few extra clipped Sheep were sold at 6 1/2 to 7c per lb, but 6 1/2 was the top figure for very good lots, and some of the common went as low as 4c per lb. Poor to good Lamb ranged from 6 1/2 to 7c per lb; prime and extra Jorsey Lambs went at 10 1/2 to 11c; a carload of ordinary unshorn Michigan Sheep sold at 6 1/2; and two cars of Colorado Sheep at 5 1/2 to 6 1/2 per 100 lbs respectively.

Hogs.—Receipts 5217 head. A couple of carloads of cornfed Ohio Hogs, 192 lbs average, changed hands alive at 56 1/2 to 57 1/2 per 100 pounds. Dressed Hogs were quiet at 5 1/2 to 6c per lb.

CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET, June 1.—Cattle—Receipts 5000; shipments 4800; market dull and heavy; prices rather easier; medium to good shipping. 4 1/2 to 5 1/2; best shipping 4 3/4 to 5 1/2; butchers 2 1/2 to 3 1/2; Hogs—Receipts 18,000; shipments 4000; market moderately active; prices lower, especially for heavy; common to choice 6 1/2 to 7 1/2; light 6 1/2 to 7 1/2; heavy packing 6 1/2 to 7 1/2; shipping 6 1/2 to 7 1/2; choice—Receipts 2000; sales of poor at 3 1/2 to 4 1/2; best 4 1/2 to 5 1/2.

ROCKFORD CATTLE MARKET, June 1.—The offerings of Beef Cattle this week reached only 137, about 100 of which were sold at prices ranging from 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 per lb. There were 1900 Sheep and Lambs offered and sold at 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 for Sheep, and 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 for Lambs. A few Cows and Calves sold at 20 1/2 to 25.

CINCINNATI HOG MARKET, June 1.—Hogs steady and firm; fair to good light 5 1/2 to 5 3/4; fair to good heavy 5 1/2 to 5 3/4; receipts 1200; shipments 220.

PEST POISON of the Kearn Chemical Works kills Potato Bugs, and all insects that prey on vegetation. Not dangerous to use; soluble in water; applied by sprinkling. For sale by BEATER & BRO., Alexandria, Va. [m20-w4w]

LOCAL MATTERS.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—War Department, Office of the Chief Signal Officer, Washington, D. C., June 2, 1876.—10:30 a. m.—For the Middle and Eastern States falling barometer, increasing southerly winds, warmer, clear, followed by partly cloudy weather, and numerous local storms.

GERMAN BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.—The German Benevolent Society held its twenty-first annual election last night, at its hall, in Muir's building, and elected the following officers, to serve for the next twelve months: President, George A. Bossart; Vice President, Conrad Wall; Secretary, John Aebischer; Vice Secretary, John Wenzel; Treasurer, Chas. Brill; Revisors, Chas. Wilson and Jacob West. After the election refreshments were served in the hall, and some time was spent in speeches, toasts and songs of the Fatherland, and all enjoyed themselves very much, in fact, as only Germans can enjoy themselves. The Society adjourned at a late hour. The speech of Mr. Charles Wilson was particularly spoken of as an able effort. The Society is now in a very prosperous condition.

AN AUSPICIOUS OMEN.—In the calling of the roll of delegates at the Conservative State Convention, in Richmond, the first name called was that of George Washington, who was a delegate from this city. Shortly following was that of George Mason, a delegate from Fairfax. The calling of these two names, so well known, and representing such distinguished patriots in the first days of the Commonwealth, borne as they are by descendants of the great men who first made them famous, was regarded by all as an auspicious omen of the success of the principles advocated by the convention of which these gentlemen were members.

THE COAL TRADE.—Boats are now arriving freely by canal and the pile of coal at the American coal wharf, the only one at which shipping have resumed their activity this spring, is beginning to grow larger. The great obstacle in the way of shipments now is the scarcity of vessels, very few of which are arriving, although quick dispatch and good rates of freight are offered. Shipments at the other wharves will probably be actively recommenced during the present month. The season of 1876 will hardly prove as prosperous as, however, as the previous ones, owing to the troubles and delay at the mines at its commencement.

ATTEMPTED INCENDIARISM.—An attempt was made on Wednesday night, by some person unknown, to set fire to the stable of Messrs. Smoot & Perry, on Cameron street, near Union. The incendiary placed a bunch of cotton waste saturated with coal oil, and wrapped in a paper, between the weather boarding and a post on the east side of the building, where a small window opens; the paper was then set fire to, but for some unexplained reason the blaze went out, and the attempt failed. The waste was brought to police headquarters last evening, but so far no clue has been discovered by which to detect the incendiaries.

POLICE REPORT.—The following cases have been tried since yesterday's report: Alphonse Arrington, for assaulting Mike Laupheimer, was fined and discharged by Alderman Jannet. Ike Norris, on complaint of Lizzie Graham, both colored, for abusive language, was discharged on payment of costs, by Justice Nalls. A white woman, for beating a man over the head with a chair, was fined and discharged by Justice Whittlesey. Four lodgers were at the station house last night.

SHIP YARD ITEMS.—The painting on the bottom of the steamer Lady of the Lake has been completed, and she was launched from the ways this morning. She will remain at the yard for several days yet, in order to have all of her upper, outside work repainted. A young man named Samuel Wade, while engaged in carrying a piece of iron on board the steamer Lady of the Lake last evening, missed his footing and fell across a timber, hurting himself quite severely.

MYSTIFIED.—Several gentlemen from this city and vicinity who had been on a three weeks visit to the Centennial, arrived home yesterday, and not having heard of the change in deposits, were considerably mystified upon being landed on Fayette street, and for a few minutes could not realize where they were. Their feelings of astonishment were not at all lessened upon being charged twenty-five cents for a ride from the depot to Royal street, which was nearly double what they had paid from Washington.

SEA TURTLE.—There was on exhibition at the Centennial House, on Cameron street, to-day, a fine sea turtle, which was captured in a Holland Point. It is supposed to be one of two which escaped from Piney Point, where they were kept as curiosities, some time since, and is one of the largest ever brought to this city.

THE ST. ASAPH STREET TRACK.—Orders were issued this morning by the Mayor for the immediate removal of the track of the A. & W. R. R. on St. Asaph street, between Princess and King, but, up to a late hour this afternoon, no steps had been taken to comply therewith.

DOM PEDRO.—The Brazilian Emperor, Dom Pedro, went down to Mr. Vernon on the U. S. steamer Dispatch, this morning, passing this city about eight o'clock. The Emperor was engaged all day yesterday in sight-seeing in Washington.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

W. H. Keys, the restaurant keeper at Macassar, died there last Friday.

The employees of the A. & W. R. R. appeared to-day in a handsome new uniform of blue and silver.

Rev. Wm. Hoxton, formerly of this city, died of consumption at the residence of his father-in-law, Rev. Dr. Moningerode, in Richmond, on the 31st ult.

Mr. T. M. Griffith, chief engineer of the Minneapolis Suspension bridge, will, upon the completion of that work, return to his home on Seminary Hill, near this city.

The second lecture of the course for the benefit of the M. E. Church takes place to-night. Rev. Dr. Peck is the lecturer, and his subject, "Pluck vs. Good Luck," will no doubt be ably handled.

The work of tearing out the front of the M. E. Church South, preparatory to rebuilding, progresses rapidly. A crowd collected yesterday to witness the pulling down of the large pillars.

A carpenter from Guilford, named Ludwell Presgrave, while at work removing a house belonging to Dr. Henry, at Farnville, yesterday, was hit on the head by a falling joist, knocked senseless and hurt seriously, if not fatally. Dr. Mott, of Leesburg, rendered the necessary surgical assistance.

As no response has been made to the effort that was commenced to permit Jennie Deavers, the woman convicted of robbery, to serve out her term of imprisonment in the city jail instead of the penitentiary, to which she was sentenced, and as the time allowed for that effort is rapidly drawing to a close, it is probable she will soon have to start for Richmond.

FINE CUCUMBER PICKLES just received by GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, my 13 100 and 170 King street.

TELEGRAPH NEWS.

From Washington.

CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 2, 1876.—In the Senate a bill in relation to public lands in Colorado was discussed for a short time and then laid aside.

A claim bill for mules lost when the Confederates advanced on Washington in 1863, was then discussed and laid aside.

The Senate passed a bill to exempt captains of vessels navigating the Mississippi from obtaining a special license before receiving liquors as freight.

A bill altering the time, &c., of holding the U. S. Courts in Virginia, North and South Carolina, &c., was then taken up and passed.

That portion of the bill which relates to Virginia is as follows:

That a term of the Circuit Court for the Eastern District of Virginia shall be held at Richmond on the last Monday in May and the first Monday in January in each year.

That a term of the Circuit Court for the Western District of Virginia shall be held at Lynchburg on the third Monday in January in each year, and at such places and times as the District Court is now required to be held in said district.

That there shall be a term of the Circuit Court for the district of West Virginia held at Parkersburg on the first Monday in February in each year.

That there shall be a term of the Circuit Court for the district of Maryland held at Baltimore on the first Monday in June and the first Monday in October in each year.

That all cases now pending in the Circuit Courts for said districts shall stand for trial at the term next ensuing after the passage of this act.

The Civil and Legislative Appropriation bill was then taken up and discussed.

The House of Representatives was engaged in the discussion of the Indian Appropriation bill.

THE BLAINE CASE.

The committee in the Blaine case held a meeting this morning. A note was received from Mr. Blaine asking further time, and stating that he was still in consultation with his counsel as to what course it is proper for him to pursue in relation to the letters held by him. The committee have taken no action.

Gen. Hunt's committee met at 2 o'clock p. m., when Mr. Blaine submitted a statement prepared by his counsel, Mr. Black, refusing to deliver the letters on the grounds of privacy and as not pertinent. Mulligan, Atkins and Fisher testified as to the letters, Mulligan's statement, &c. Fisher said Mulligan bore the highest character for honesty and truth.

THE KERR COMMITTEE.

The committee engaged in the investigation of the alleged bribery of Speaker Kerr examined Harney this morning. Harney had submitted a note, which Kerr's counsel thought Harney had written himself. He asked that Harney be required to copy the note, but Harney declined to do so.

After a recess.

Hon. Mr. Stevens, formerly a member of Congress from Pennsylvania, testified that Harney was a doorman of the House at the time he knew him. Harney had endeavored to get the witness to use his influence to have Green appointed a lieutenant, and told him that by Green's appointment he, Harney, would make \$500. Nothing whatever about Kerr.

Turkey.

LONDON, May 2.—The Post, says: It learns that Abdul Aziz, the late Sultan of Turkey is confined in a splendid palace called "The Cage." The Post also says it has reason to believe that his life is perfectly safe and adds it understands that Queen Victoria immediately on learning of the deposition of Abdul Aziz took steps to obtain satisfactory assurance of the personal safety of her former guest.

A special dispatch to the Pall Mall Gazette from Berlin, says: "It is stated here that Serbia refuses to recognize the new Sultan of Turkey on the ground of his irregular accession to the throne and declines to pay her tribute two instalments of which are in arrears."

The same dispatch says that Prince Bismarck will accompany the Emperor William to Ems, where a fresh conference will be held between Prince Bismarck, Prince Gortschakoff and Count Karol, the Austrian Ambassador at Berlin.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 2.—The Minister of Foreign Affairs has telegraphed to the Turkish representatives abroad as follows: "It has been our duty to deny the malevolent rumors circulated concerning the deposed monarch's fate. Immediately after his accession, Sultan Murad Effendi ordered his uncle to be treated with every consideration and to receive all the honors due his person. The pavilion belonging to the Tcheragan palace on the Bosphorus has been assigned him as a residence."

Daniel Drew. New York, June 2.—Daniel Drew, the bankrupt New York millionaire, in his evidence in the bankruptcy court yesterday, stated that the offices in which he did business were those of Boyd, Vincent, Johnson, Chase & Co., Dickerson & Co., and Whiteley & Nelson; that he had nobody in his employ, no book keeper, and that he attended to his own business; that he had collaterals with the brokers named, but they had used them up to nothing; that he was well enough of a year ago, but his money was all gone now; never kept a check book; was worth several millions at one time; that he could tell where the money was now, out from any accounts he had, but from his own head, where he kept them.

The Fast Trains. CHICAGO, June 2.—The fast train passed various stations on the road ahead of time. The run from Chicago to Carroll, 400 miles, was made in 8 hours and 58 minutes. The train reached Council Bluffs at 9:27, 39 minutes ahead of schedule time. The fastest time made since the train left New York, which was on the Chicago and Northwestern Railway, was 24 miles in 2 minutes.

NEW YORK, June 2.—It is learned here that there have been serious floods on the Union Pacific Railroad, west of Duval, Pa. Bridges have been swept away, and this, it is feared, will prevent the fast train from getting through.

Foreign News. LONDON, June 2.—The race for the Oaks' stakes for fillies, the next event in importance to the Derby, at the Epsom summer meeting, took place to-day and resulted in a dead heat for the first place between Camelia and Enguerrand. The former was the winner of the 2,000 guineas. Both horses are French bred. Merry Duchess was placed 3d. The bettings were 6 to 4 against Camelia, 6 to 1 against Enguerrand, and 20 to 1 against Merry Duchess.

STILL LOWER.—Goods received this m. at lower prices than ever before. Calicoes, Cottons, Cambrics and all kinds of Domestic Sheetings at H. C. SLAYMAKER CO. my 10

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

The mysterious poisoning of the Laros family near Easton, Pa., is creating an unusual excitement, and subsequent appearances justify graver suspicions than were at first entertained. A sum of \$350 is missing, and other facts just developed lead to the belief that the poisoning was intentional. No arrests have been made. Martin Laros and his wife are dead, and the seven others are still in a critical condition. A coroner's inquest is now being held, but a verdict will probably not be rendered to-day.

James Carpenter, John Murphy, John Quinn and Joseph Farrell, who were serving terms in Sing Sing prison, overpowered their keeper this morning and escaped. They got off by capturing a locomotive on the Hudson River Railroad. Two have been recaptured. The convicts forced the engineer to take them down the track. When near Tarrytown, the engine was stopped and the men jumped off.

A pilot boat picked up near Sandy Hook light ship, yesterday, John S. Graham, a sea man of the bark E. M. McLaughlin, Capt. Dennis, for Antwerp, who said he had jumped overboard to escape bad treatment from the captain and mate.

The body found in the Hackensack river is not that of ex Commissioner Burdette of Washington.

A gas explosion took place in Conant's photographic gallery at Port-Louis today, demolishing the establishment, and injuring two persons.

The Markets.

NEW YORK, June 2.—Stocks steady. Money 2 Gold 12 1/2 Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat dull and declining. Corn quiet and steady.

BALTIMORE, June 2.—Virginia sizes, deferred 7; Virginias, consolidated, 9 1/2 bid to day. Cotton dull, weak and lower; middling 11 1/2. Flour quiet, steady and unchanged. Wheat dull and lower; Maryland red 11 1/2 bid; do. white 12 1/2 bid; other grades nominal. Corn—Southern steady and firm; Western steady; Southern white 56 1/2; Southern yellow 55 1/2; Western mixed 57 1/2 spot and June 58 1/2 bid. Oats dull and heavy; downward tendency; Southern, good to prime 41 1/2; Western white 37 1/2; Western mixed 34 1/2. Rye quiet, but firm, at 75 1/2 bid. Hay dull and unchanged. Provisions quiet, but firm. Pork \$20; lard, shoulders 8 1/2; clear rib sides 14 1/2; hams 14 1/2. Lard, refined, under 100 lbs. 10 1/2 bid; jobbing 10 1/2; Rio cargo 13 1/2; and 13 1/2. Whiskey dull at \$1 1/2. Sugar more active and firm at 9 1/2.

If your liver is torpid, if your appetite is poor, if you want your stomach thoroughly cleansed, if you want a good digestion, use Dr. Bull's Vegetable Pills. Try it; keep trying it, and try it again. We say this because we believe that the health, happiness and prosperity of the people depend upon the proper use of these medicines, which have proved so successful in eradicating disease and defeating death. The medicine so effective in its cure of disease is the great Southern remedy, Simmons' Liver Regulator. Try it; we believe that the first trial will be satisfactory.

ENCOURAGE HOME MANUFACTURE. I am now manufacturing a good and cheap PAINT, of several colors, the body of which is equal to Lead and Oil, which for tin roofs, barns, stables, fences, &c., will be found very suitable as well as economical, and an improvement over other cheap imitations. This paint has been used by one railroad company and by many of the farmers in this vicinity, and is highly recommended by all who have tried it. Price, single gallon, 75c. 10 gallons \$5 per gal. 1 bbl, or 40 gallons, 60c per gal. Call and examine samples at 85 King street, under Academy Hall, my 31

LARGE STOCK OF NEW DRY GOODS. New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore—Choice stock of Dress Goods, we have just received from New York with the best selected stock of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods we have ever offered in this market. These goods have been purchased with great care from the largest importers in this country, and are the best styles for Spring and Summer, and will be sold for cash or on responsible and prompt parties on short time as cheap as the same goods can be purchased in any large city. New goods opening every day. We sell good goods and at popular prices. D. F. BRADSHAW, H. B. Hoopes, No. 109 King street, Alexandria, Va. my 5

FLOOR STAIN.—We have just prepared by our new recipe a large supply of the above useful and popular stain. It renders the floor clean and attractive in appearance, being of a rich, dark walnut color. For stairways, halls or the floors of rooms it is desired to keep uncarpeted during the summer season it is especially adapted. It is prepared already in liquid form, will dry hard and retain its color for a few hours, and can be applied by anyone with a brush or sponge. We are permitted to refer to a number of our customers who have used it with entire satisfaction. Shipped to the country in any quantity desired. Sold by the pint or gallon. my 17

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Having been appointed by the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria as administrator of the estate of John T. Evans, deceased, I hereby give notice to all parties indebted to the estate to come forward at once and make payment to me. All parties having claims against the estate will present them to the duly certified for payment. L. C. O'NEAL, Adm'r of John T. Evans, dec'd. my 24

FANS! FANS!—We are offering a large choice selection of Fans, in Silk, Linen, Chinese and Japanese, at very low prices. Another supply of BUSTLES and HOOP SKIRTS just received. my 23

PARIS GREEN, for the destruction of the Potato Bug, another large supply just received by my 18

OILED SILK, Chamis Skins, Ready-mixed Paints of all kinds and in any quantity, the celebrated ROYAL PAINT and Floor Stain, for sale by my 2

FRENCH DRESSING AND SATIN POLISH, for ladies' and children's shoes; a full supply just received by my 10

SPECIALTIES.—Hoop Skirts, Bustles, Corsets, High Combs and Roberts' Razor Steel Scissors; every pair warranted. my 8

JUST RECEIVED.—Another supply of Hair, Nail and Tooth Brushes; also Combs of all descriptions at my 10

HOES, RAKES, SHOVELS, SPADES, just received at 88 King street, on the corner of Royal, wholesale and retail. my 13

CRACKERS AND CAKES.—Mason's Cream, Butter, Lemon Syrup, Ginger Snaps, Cocoa-nut Drops, Rife Nuts, &c., for sale by my 4

FLOWER POTS! FLOWER POTS! Just received Flower Pots, all sizes; for sale low at E. J. MILLER & CO'S, 65 King street. my 20

STAMPING.—We are constantly receiving new patterns and designs. Work will be executed well and at low prices. Chemise and New Dress York, new styles. my 4

NOTICE. We are selling SUGARS AT AS LOW PRICES as they can be bought in this city. J. C. & E. MILBURN. my 6

FOR SALE OR RENT.

FOR RENT.—Two desirable STORES on King street—one with DWELLING; also one on Fairfax street. Possession given June 1st. Apply to WM. N. BROWN, No. 9 N. Fairfax street. my 22-1m

FOR RENT.—THE STOREHOUSE No. 62 King street, corner of King and Fairfax streets. This is a fine stand for business and has been occupied for many years as a dry goods store. Possession given at once. Apply to H. SMITH, 1st National Bank, or No. 67 South Pitt street. my 17-00t

FOR SALE IN ALEXANDRIA, VA. VALUABLE REAL ESTATE, CONSISTING OF DWELLINGS, STOREHOUSES AND LOTS.

No. 2. TWO LARGE TWO-STORY BRICK STOREHOUSES, Nos. 36 and 38, situated on the southeast corner of King and Lee streets, and one THREE-STORY BRICK DWELLING, No. 48, adjacent, on Lee street.

No. 3. TWO FRAME DWELLINGS, Nos. 69 and 71, with fine lots attached, on Wolfe st., near Fairfax.

No. 4. LARGE LOT, with FRAME BUILDING, on Fairfax, near Franklin.

For particulars enquire of THOS. SMITH, No. 404 6th st., n. w., Washington, D. C., or WM. T. HERRICK, No. 48 King st., Alexandria, Va. my 16-1m

A GREAT BARGAIN.—Having arranged to take up my residence in San Francisco, I respectfully offer for sale that excellent